



# Park Avenue Synagogue Bulletin



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## February Is A Good Month To Enroll In A Course In The Sherr Institute

There is still time to enroll in a mini-course in the Sherr Institute of Adult Jewish Studies. Four courses *begin* in February of such a diverse nature that any one of them should, at the least, raise the interest of the most discriminating generalist.

Beginning on Wednesday, February 8 at 8 P.M. and continuing for four successive Wednesdays, Dr. Neil Gillman will teach a course on Jewish Mysticism: Religion as Personal Experience.

On Thursday mornings, from 11 - 12:30, Ms. Debra Cantor meets with mothers to discuss how to enrich a little child's life with Jewish experiences. Her course is entitled Celebrations and begins on Thursday, February 9.

The following week, beginning on Tuesday, February 14 at 8 P.M. and continuing for nine Tuesdays, Ms. Nancy Samalin gives a workshop on communication skills for parents. Ms. Samalin is a disciple of Dr. Alice Ginott and this workshop, co-sponsored by Parents Association, is being repeated by popular demand.

Rabbi Stephen C. Lerner resumes his leadership of a support group for converts, prospective converts and their spouses. Co-sponsored by the Center for Conversion to Judaism, this group meets for eight Wednesdays from 8:15 - 9:15 P.M. beginning February 22.

Looking ahead to March, Rabbi Wechsler will be meeting for four consecutive Tuesdays in the mid-town area with those who wish to study with him over a brown bag lunch. This year the topic will be the Haggadah and the sessions will begin Tuesday, March 6 at 12 Noon. For information on location, please call Rabbi Wechsler's Secretary one week before the commencement of the study session.

### REMINDER!

To avoid disappointment, make your reservation today by returning the reservation card you received in the mail with your check to attend the

### Congregational Shabbat Dinner

Friday, February 17

following Services at 6:15 P.M.

## Medieval Feast And Festival On March Third Eve

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!! Ye ladies and gentlemen of the Congregation. Prepare yourself for a never-to-be-forgotten evening of revelry when on March third Eve, the Lower Level will be transformed into a medieval Banquet Hall where, to the delight of all, medieval cookery will please the palate and costumed musicians and entertainers will complement the authenticity of each remove.

Feted that evening and serving as the king of the High Table will be our fellow congregant and immediate past president, Abraham I. Sherr. Mr. Sherr is honored by this distinguished assemblage as most worthy of praise when the Journal [to be distributed that evening] dedication page is turned open to view.

### Medieval Feast Described

The main event of the evening is an authentic medieval kosher feast. The delectable and exotic recipes come from a newly completed book by Dr. Madeleine Perner Cosman, *The Medieval Jewish Gourmet: A Maimonidean Cookbook*. The food is entirely accessible for the modern palate and is visually and culinarily exciting. Compared to modern fine European cuisine, the medieval Jewish is more interesting and aesthetically more attractive. The feast is highly theatrical with each course alternating with an entertainment, all of which are strictly medieval Jewish "acts", each derived from manuscript sources. Simply extraordinary . . .

### Dr. Madeleine Perner Cosman

We shall be guided through the evening's revelry by the Surveyor of Ceremonies, Dr. Madeleine Perner Cosman, Director of the Institute for Medieval and Renaissance Studies at City College, City University of New York.

In November, Dr. Cosman journeyed to Park Avenue Synagogue to deliver a lecture on "The Magnificence of Medieval Jewry". Dressed for the occasion in sumptuous medieval garb, Dr. Cosman presented a much revised glimpse of life in the Middle Ages. It is this revised look, based upon new scholarship, which will be in evidence on March third Eve. Not to worry. The revelers that evening can be assured of an undeniable treat for the palate and delight to the eye. The evening's festivities will serve to thrill all the senses.

### Committee In Formation

To assist Dr. Cosman in the planning of this unparalleled evening, a large and enthusiastic committee has been formed under the direction of the Feast and Festival Coordinators, Barbara Sassoon and Phyllis Siegel. Evelyn Gelman has accepted the responsibility of Treasurer of the Event; our Calligrapher is Joan Levenson; our Publicist is Joann Rosoff and our Consultant is Roz Chelouche.

Members of the Committee, which is in formation, are:

Deanna and Robert Adler  
Mimi and Barry J. Alperin  
Halona and Joshua Balgley  
Lucy and Robert Becker  
Fannie Beller  
Lillian and Charles Bennet  
Sylvia Berg  
Ann and Kenneth Bialkin  
Miriam Brown  
Edith and Erwin Cherovsky  
Lillian and Joel J. Cohen  
Joanne and Morton Davis  
Dorothy and Howard S. Denburg  
Mildred and Saul Finkel  
Rosalie and Sidney Friedman  
Ellie and Dr. Herbert Frommer  
Gail and Richard Gerard  
Suzanne and Dr. Theodore Goldstein  
Lillian and Dr. Herman Helpert  
Beverly and Dr. John Jacoby

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**A Leap Year**

This is a big year for Jews. Big in size, that is, for this is a leap year. And it is a leap year twice blessed.

First of all, the month of February gives everyone the grace of one extra day. In the habit of expecting February to end on time (the twenty-eighth day, that is), think of how you will feel when you have an extra day to catch up. Ah, to read that article, to write that letter, to pay that visit, to put off that payment due on March 1. A gift: one extra day.

But we Jews take this opportunity far more seriously than everyone else. You remember how early the High Holydays were this year, how last Pesah came in March? If things were to keep up that way, it would only be a matter of time until Rosh Hashanah was in the Spring, Pesah in January. The solution? A leap year with one extra month.

A whole extra month did you say? That's right, not just an extra day but a whole extra month. There are two Adars this year, the first beginning on February 4. Purim will fall in the second Adar and will therefore seem late. The first seder won't come until April 16. But just think of all that extra time: one month.

If I had a extra minute on some days, what a blessing it would be. If I've made a mistake looking at my watch and have found an hour, how delighted I am. A minute, an hour, a day. But look here, tune into the Jewish calendar and you have a whole extra month! The only question is: What to do?

An idea: Do something Jewish you haven't had time to do. After all, you have a whole extra Jewish month. Read a Jewish book. Attend a lecture. Give some special *tzedakah*. Volunteer some extra hours. Come to the Synagogue. You owe it to yourself, with all that extra time.

— Harlan J. Wechsler

**Schedule of Religious Services**

Friday evening, February 3 ..... 6:15 p.m.

**FAMILY SERVICE**

conducted by Grade Bet

Shabbat dinner follows Service for Grade Bet students  
and their families

Saturday morning, February 4 ..... 9:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Andrew and Joshua Bernstein  
sons of Mrs. Pamela Bernstein and Mr. Haim Bernstein

Friday evening, February 10 ..... 6:15 p.m.

Saturday morning, February 11 ..... 9:15 a.m.

Friday evening, February 17 ..... 6:15 p.m.

Congregational Shabbat Dinner

by advance reservation only

Saturday morning, February 18 ..... 9:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Jonathan Stark  
son of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Stark

Friday night, February 24 ..... 8:30 p.m.

Rabbi Judah Nadich will respond to  
"ASK THE RABBI"

Oneg Shabbat follows the service

Saturday morning, February 25 ..... 9:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Geoffrey Postel  
son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Postel

*Rabbis Judah Nadich and Harlan J. Wechsler will conduct services together with Cantor David Lefkowitz, Mark Kula and the Synagogue choir, with Neil Robinson at the organ.*

**WANTED FOR PRINT!**

Favorite recipes for publication in the Park Avenue Synagogue Kosher Cookbook. Submit as many recipes as you wish in all categories from hors d'oeuvres to desserts and mail to Carol Weber, Parents Association Cookbook Project, 50 East 87 St., New York, N.Y. 10128.

You can SAVE A LIFE  
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**BLOOD DRIVE****Sunday, March 11**

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## P.A. Open Meeting On Dual Career Parents To Take Place March 12

**PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF A CHANGE OF CALENDAR DATE:** On Monday, March 12 at 8 P.M., Dr. Martin V. Cohen will lead a workshop discussion on the special needs and problems of Dual Career Parents.

This program is sponsored by Parents Association and is open to the congregation and community. A relevant, as well as a mushrooming phenomenon, this discussion of the pleasures and pressures of dual career parents is sure to be lively and enlightening.

Dr. Cohen is Clinical Director of Family Psychology Associates and Clinical Supervisor of the Marital Therapy Out Patient Clinic at New York Hospital.

This program, originally announced to take place on Monday, March 19, has been moved up one week and will now take place on Monday evening, March 12.

Note the change on your calendar today. Don't miss this workshop!

## P.A.S. Singles Sponsor Two Events In February

Roz Chelouche, Chairperson of the Park Avenue Synagogue Singles, announces two events for Singles during the month of February in the synagogue.

\* On February 10 at 8:30 P.M., the Singles will conduct their very own Shabbat Service in the Appleman Chapel. An Oneg Shabbat will follow the Service. Rabbi Wechsler will speak on "Luck, Otherwise Known as *Mazal*". All Singles are cordially invited to participate in this Service, which is in addition to the regularly scheduled congregational Shabbat Service at 6:15 P.M.

\* Sidney Offit, writer, teacher and commentator on contemporary social issues, will speak on "Politics and Human Relationships" at an Open Meeting of P.A.S. Singles on Tuesday, February 21 at 8 P.M.

Mr. Offit is a member of the faculty of the New School and N.Y.U. and was the former Senior Editor of *Intellectual Magazine*. He has written novels, books for young readers, short stories and essays. For the past six years he has appeared on Channel 5 at 10 P.M. debating political and social issues with Dr. Martin Abend. In this role, he has appeared in over one thousand debates which have been seen by over one million viewers.

Refreshments will be served. There is an admission charge of \$8 per person.

## Rothschild Library Available To Meet Many Needs

More and more congregants are discovering the joy of the Rothschild Library. Located on the second floor, the library is open Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 - 6 P.M.; Wednesdays from 3:30 - 6:30 P.M. and Sundays from 9:30 A.M. to 12 Noon.

Our librarian, Susan Vogelstein, extends an open invitation to congregants to use the library whether it be for browsing, reading or even resting. School children can use the library to do homework and the library is a most appropriate place to wait for children to be dismissed from class at the end of the school day. Just tell your child (ren) to meet you in the library instead of the lobby. The library is warm and comfortable these cold winter days.

Beginning in March, the Rothschild Library will have available a new periodical for Jewish children: "Shofar". The first issue will be a special Purim issue. Puzzles, games, plays, contests, recipes, sports, etc. will entertain and educate Jewish children in this fun magazine. Ask for it.

New books are constantly being added to the Adult and Juvenile Collections of the Rothschild Library.

New in the Adult Collection are:  
Abella, Irving: "None Is Too Many - Canada and the Jews of Europe 1933-1948".

This is the harrowing story, meticulously documented, powerfully told, of political calculation, bureaucratic red tape and bigotry. It is also an American story. For the truth is, the failure of Canada to pass the "test of civilization" during the Holocaust was a failure of both North American democracies.

Donin, Rabbi Hayim Halevy: "To Pray As A Jew" and "To Raise a Jewish Child".

Although not new, these two books are an invaluable addition to the synagogue's collection. "To Raise a Jewish Child" is a candid, warmly written, useful guide for Jewish parents to direct them and their children to find meaning and satisfaction in their Jewish identity. "To Pray As A Jew" is a magnificent volume providing a detailed guide to Jewish prayer.

New in the Juvenile Collection are:  
Cohen, Barbara: "Gooseberries to Oranges".

The true story of a little girl who was born in Eastern Europe and came to live in America when she was eight years old.

Singer, I.B.: "Yentl the Yeshiva Boy".

This edition of Yentl the Yeshiva Boy, one of Singer's best-known stories, is embellished throughout with Antonio Frasconi's elegant woodcuts.

Kerr, Judith: "The Other Way Round"

An insightful story for older children of a young girl growing up in a family displaced by war and the Holocaust.

## Medieval Feast continued from page 1

Beatrice Kaplan  
Marion and Joseph Howard Katz  
Francine and Dr. Samuel C. Klagsbrun  
Stephanie Later  
Shira and James Levin  
Helen Levine  
Leila and Robert Levitas  
Hanna Lyttle  
Linda and Melvyn Matlins  
Mendelle and Martin J. Milston  
Frances Peiper  
Sidney D. Rosoff  
Lite and Arnold L. Sabin  
Andre Sassoon  
Joan and Paul Schreiber  
Claire and Albert Schussler  
Cynthia Schwartz  
Annette and William Sherman  
Dr. Sigmund Siegel  
Ramie and Gerald Silbert  
Marsha and Milton Springut  
Frances Tompkins  
Nancy and Ray L. Treiger  
Miriam Wallerstein  
Carol and Michael Weber  
Vicki and Dr. Seymour Wimpfheimer  
Evalyn and Dr. Irving Yudkoff

## A Medieval Scroll Invitation

Your invitation to this unique event will arrive at your residence in a brown tube containing a scroll which can serve as a souvenir of the evening. The script was handwritten by Joan Levenson and is a work of art in its own right.

The contribution to Park Avenue Synagogue of \$125 per person reflects the fund-raising aspect of this event.

And so Ye Noble Guests, move up to the salt and don't be left outside the Banquet Hall. Our table is of impressive length, but it does not exceed beyond our festive hall.

We await your response!

## Congratulations

The congregation offers a hearty *Mazal Tov* to:

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Group**, upon the marriage of their son, Marc, to Shelley Chaskin.

**Mr. and Mrs. Zvi Kanner**, upon the marriage of their son, Shlomo, to Meryl Irwin.

**Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krieger**, upon the birth of their grandson, Daniel Jeffrey Krieger.

**Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Lane**, upon the birth of their grandson, David Lane Rubin.

**Mrs. Rea Putterman**, upon the engagement of her granddaughter, Amy Rebecca Alpert, to Daniel Eisnitz.

**Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith**, upon the birth of their daughter, Jessica Barrie Smith.



## Project Ezra Celebrates Its Tenth Anniversary

Project Ezra will celebrate its tenth anniversary on the first of April, 1984, at the Village Gate. A voluntary outreach program whose aim it is to provide service to the Jewish elderly living on the Lower East Side, Project Ezra and Park Avenue Synagogue enjoy a close, working relationship.

The Men's Club and the students of the High School host members of Project Ezra at annual Hanukkah and Purim parties at Park Avenue Synagogue. Also, it has become something of a tradition for P.A.S. High School students, shortly before the Passover holiday, to travel down to the Lower East Side and assist the elderly Jews of Project Ezra with their preparations for Passover.

As part of its tenth anniversary celebration, Project Ezra is conducting a raffle to raise needed funds to continue its work. An original painting by Chaim Gross, himself a former Lower East Side resident, has been donated by him as his contribution to the exemplary work of Project Ezra.

Support Project Ezra. Buy a raffle, or 2, or 3. They can be purchased in the Religious School Office (third floor) or the High School Office (fourth floor). Who can tell? Perhaps it will be you who wins an original oil painting by Chaim Gross.

## Information Needed From Survivors

A project sponsored by the American Jewish Committee has as its purpose the gathering of information about the rescue of Jews by non-Jews in Nazi-occupied Europe. Such survivors are asked to send the following information: name and address of the rescuer, where the rescue occurred, duration of rescue, the kind of help received, the reason for the non-Jew helping — in the opinion of the survivor, and would the survivor be willing to be interviewed by a member of the research project.

Such information should be sent to Professor Samuel P. Oliner, Department of Sociology, Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA 95521.

## Early Childhood Center Parents Plan Benefit For March 4

The parents of the boys and girls attending the Early Childhood Center are planning a theater benefit for children in order to raise money to purchase additional equipment for the outdoor play area on the roof.

On Sunday, March 4 at 2 P.M., they will be attending a performance of "Dandelion" given by the Paper Bag Players.

Cost per ticket is \$15.

For more information, please call Cindy Kurtin, 744-4859.

## Contributions

### Building Fund

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Leventhal

### Synagogue Offerings

Mr. Robert Adler, in memory of his father, Gustave Adler.

Mr. Harris J. Amster, in memory of his father, Fred Amster.

Ms. Hilary Baron, in memory of her father, Jack Baron.

Mrs. Fannie Beller, for the recovery of Frances Peiper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennet, in honor of their 56th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Allan Blumstein, in honor of the birthday of his wife, Susan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boyer.

Mrs. Frederick Brenner, in memory of her father, Jack Eisenberg.

Ms. Gail Brown-Karr, in memory of her grandfather, Morris Field.

Ms. Estelle O. Cohen, for the recovery of Esther Woolf.

Mrs. Jennie Cohen, in memory of her mother, Lena Spiegel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome J. Cohen, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard Katz.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dane, in memory of her mother, Fannie Rosenburgh.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Druss, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard Katz.

Hon. Conrad Duberstein, in memory of his mother, Esther Duberstein.

Mrs. Irving Ehrenreich, in honor of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. David T. Factor, in honor of their new granddaughter, Tova Lieba Factor.

Mrs. Sol Fineman, in memory of her husband.

Mrs. Sidney Frey, in memory of her husband.

Mrs. Marta Fried, in memory of Oskar Klinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Friedland, in memory of their parents.

Mr. Sidney Friedman

Mrs. Joyce Gellis, in memory of her father, Samuel Garsky.

Evelyn and Milton Gelman, in memory of Carl Markovitz.

The Goldfine Family, in memory of Claire Goldfine.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Goll, in memory of George Leviton.

Mrs. Dolly Grad, in honor of the birthday of Louis Werner.

Mrs. Belle F. Green.

Mrs. Esther Greenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Group, in honor of Mr. Irving Friedman being elected President of the Town Club.

Mrs. Isidor Hahn, in memory of David Witty.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon I. Heller, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Dr. and Mrs. Herman G. Helpert, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard Katz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard R. Jankoff, in honor of Rhea Levinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard R. Jankoff, in honor of Mrs. Ethel Meierfeld.

Mr. M. Howard Kaplan, in memory of his father, Louis Kaplan.

Marion and Joseph Howard Katz, in honor of the birthday of Dr. Herman G. Helpert.

Partners of Katz, Robinson, Brog & Seymour, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard Katz.

Mrs. Mina M. Klein, in memory of her husband, Max Klein.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krieger, in honor of the birth of their grandson, Doniel Yonaton Krieger.

Mrs. Dorothy Lang, in memory of her father, Abraham Kleiman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leavitt, in memory of Abraham Kass.

Mr. Ira Lee

Mrs. James J. Leibman, in memory of David, Fanny and Joseph Leibman.

Isaac Lieber Family Foundation, in memory of Mr. Isaac Lieber, grandfather of Leslie and Michelle Lieber.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Madelker, in honor of the birthday of Ceil Starkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Markowitz.

Mr. Samuel Mehlman, in memory of his mother, Jennie Mehlman.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mittenthal, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mittenthal, in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heller.

Mrs. Henry Perlman, in memory of her mother, Sasha Moskalik.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Perlman, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Retirees of Park Avenue Synagogue, in honor of the establishment at the Seminary of the Rabbi Judah Nadich Chair.

Mrs. Hilda Rosenblum, in memory of her husband, Henry.

Mr. Stephen Rosenblum, in memory of his father, Henry Rosenblum.

Ms. Betty Rosenfeld, in memory of her mother, Minnie Rosenfeld.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Russ, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howard Katz.

Mrs. Gerta Scharf, in memory of her husband, Adolf.

Mr. John J. Schreiber, in honor of the speedy recovery of his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schreiber, in honor of their mothers, Ruth Pearlmutter and Betty Schreiber.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin L. Schweitzer, in memory of his mother, Betty Schweitzer.



Debate Between Peace Now  
And Likud February 27

The Women's Evening Group invites the congregation and its friends to attend a debate between Samuel Norich, representing the Peace Now point of view and Ilan Cohen, representing the Likud point of view, on Monday, February 27 at 8 P.M.

Both Mr. Norich and Mr. Cohen are uniquely qualified to serve as spokesmen for these two diametrically opposite points of view, two political philosophies which are doing much to reshape political thinking in Israel.

Mr. Norich currently is the Executive Director of the YIVO Institute for Jewish Research. Born in Munich in 1947, he received an A.B. degree from Columbia and an M.S. and A.B.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin at Madison. He has received numerous awards, honors and stipends and has held several Jewish communal positions. He has taught on the college level and has had articles published in scholarly journals.

Mr. Cohen is a member of the Likud Party in Israel. He received his undergraduate degree from Tel Aviv University and an M.B.A. from Columbia. He has worked both in the Israeli government and in private industry. He served on the staff of Israel's Mission to the United Nations and represented Israel at many international gatherings. As Executive Director of New Leadership of the Liberal Party of Israel, he was head of its Think Tanks on economics and foreign policy. He has also represented Israel's Minister of Finance for the Development Corporation of Israel.

Mr. Cohen served as a demolition expert during the Six Day War and the Yom Kippur War. Today he is the president of an international Israeli trading company and a specialist in the marketing of Israel's industrial products throughout the world.

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Is it too early to begin to think about Passover? Not really, say the chairpeople of two projects conducted by Parents Association as a service to the congregational community: the Kotel for Passover Candy Sale and the Kotel for Passover Wine and Spirits Sale.

The children's Religious School have received their Candy Sale packets and are selling Manischewitz Kosher for Passover macaroons, candy and other goodies until the week of February 12, at which time the order forms must be turned in.

If you have not been approached by a schoolchild to buy candy and wish to do so, either use the order blank reproduced in the adjoining column or call the Chairperson, Beverly Jacoby at 876-3169.

In response to last year's unprecedented demand, the congregation will once again be able to order, through Parents Association, Kosher for Passover table, varietal and Kiddush wines and spirits in advance of the holiday.

Watch for your letter in the mail detailing the sale. An order form is included. Home delivery is offered on all orders exceeding \$20. For additional information, please call either Evelyn Gelmen, 369-0580, or Evalyn Yudkoff, 289-9550, evenings.

Proceeds from both sales enable Parents Association to supply the needed "extras" to the school's curriculum, "extras" which make our school so special.

Sisterhood Members Invited  
To League Meeting Feb. 16

The Metropolitan Branch of the Women's League for Conservative Judaism invites all Sisterhood members to attend its next meeting on Thursday, February 16 at the National Office of Women's League, 48 East 74 Street, beginning at 10 A.M.

Dr. Ephraim Tabory will speak on Women's Rights and Rites In Israel. A sociologist who made *aliyah* 18 years ago, Dr. Tabory is deeply involved in promoting the Conservative movement in Israel. Serving as a *shaliach* (messenger) from the Conservative movement in Israel to the Conservative movement in the United States, he will report on the role of women not only in the synagogue but also in the general society of Israel.

After the formal presentation there will be ample time for questions.

Lunch will be served.

Please inform Mrs. Miriam Korman at 840-4511 (office) or 409-5397 (home) if you plan to attend.

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L. MINI MATZOH	\$4.25	
COCONUT M. BON-BONS	\$4.25	
N. RASPBERRY BARS	\$4.25	
TOTAL	\$	



## Report On 1983 Passover Campaign

The largest single grant from the Annual Passover Campaign in our synagogue goes to The Joint Passover Association which helps needy members of the Jewish community celebrate the Passover festival. The year-end report of The Joint Passover Association reveals that it gave cash grants totaling \$290,000 to 16,952 individuals, comprising 8,871 families.

It is of significance to note that 92% of all JPA funds go for direct relief to clients. During the past ten years \$1,476,459 has been distributed to those who look to The Joint Passover Association for assistance.

## We Take Pride In:

**Joyce Arnoff Cohen**, who was an Observer with the United States delegation when the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs of the State of Israel.

**Peter I. Feinberg**, who was the guest of honor at the annual Palm Beach Reception held to benefit the Jewish Theological Seminary of America. **Arthur H. Bienenstock** served as the Chairman of the event and he was assisted by **Lillian Leff** and **A. Alfred Taubman** who served as co-chairpersons.

**Gertrude Fogelson**, whose sculptures are on exhibit during February at the James Hunt Barker Galleries in Palm Beach.

**Gedaliao Grinberg**, who was the guest of honor at a testimonial dinner of the Diamond, Watch and Jewelry Industries Division of Israel Bonds.

**Pearl Resnick**, who was honored by the National Women's Patrons Society, and who received the Solomon Schechter Medal from Dr. Gerson D. Cohen, Chancellor of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America.

**Irving Schneider** who was appointed to serve on the Board of Governors of the Jewish Agency for Israel.

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## Hebrew Free Loan Society Helps College Students

College students and their parents, faced with rising tuition costs, may qualify for aid from the Hebrew Free Loan Society. The Society, organized in 1892, makes small loans without interest or fees or any other charges.

The funds are designed to be a supplement to students' financial resources and are limited to 25% of annual tuition and related costs up to a maximum of \$2,000 for each applicant who qualifies. Loans are available only to families living in New York City and its surrounding New York State suburbs, but the student may attend any accredited college in the country.

The loans are similar to those provided by the government's guaranteed Parent Loan Program, but unlike those, loans are interest free. The loans are paid back over a period of ten months, which is equal to the school year, in monthly installments and secured by collateral of credit worthy co-signers. Loans are renewable each year as long as the student matriculates.

For more information on this Scholarship Loan Fund, please contact the Hebrew Free Loan Society, 205 East 42 St., New York City 10017, 687-0188.

## Condolences

*Park Avenue Synagogue extends heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved of our congregation and to their families:*

**Mrs. Max J. Feld**, upon the death of her father, Bert J. Brown.

**Dr. Samuel C. Klagsbrun**, upon the death of his father, Solomon Klagsbrun.

**Mr. Irving Kornblau**, upon the death of his brother, Louis Kornblau.

**Mrs. Linda Levine**, upon the death of her mother, Rose Rothman.

**Mrs. Edward Munves, Sr.**, upon the death of her husband; **Edward Munves, Jr.**, upon the death of his father.

**Mrs. Joann Abrams Rosoff**, upon the death of her mother, Dr. Anna Thurman Abrams.

The family of **Col. Irvin Waldman**.

## Join The Discussion "Money Talks:

## What Are The Hidden Messages?"

The Young Couples League invites the congregation to join them in a discussion on "Money Talks: What Are The Hidden Messages?" led by Ms. Linda Barbanel, on Tuesday, March 6 at 8 P.M.

Money is used, or abused, when it is a symbol for security, power, or love. Ms. Barbanel will explore this behavior and how it affects relationships, when money becomes the chief means of communication. During her presentation, she will give many examples of different money "styles", recognizable at once to everyone. Ms. Barbanel believes that "understanding your personal money style can lead to an improved self-image and better relationships."

Ms. Barbanel, MSW, CSW, is a psychotherapist in private practice in Manhattan. She is a well-known speaker and expert from the psychological point of view on the various meanings of money. She is a frequent guest on radio and television and has become an increasingly popular lecturer at business, professional, college and networking groups.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Advanced Hebrew 3 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3:30 - 6:30 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. Milton Steinberg	<b>2</b> 7:30 A.M. Morning Minyan 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 11 A.M. Intermediate Hebrew II 1 P.M. Intermediate Hebrew I 2 P.M. Retirees Club 2:30 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. School Bld. Meeting	<b>3</b> 6:15 P.M. Friday Night Family Service conducted by Grade Bet followed by Shabbat Dinner for Grade Bet students and their families Light Candles 4:56 P.M.	<b>4</b> 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah Andrew and Joshua Bernstein 5 P.M. Mishneh Torah study followed by Service
<b>5</b> 9:30 A.M. - 12 Noon Library Open 9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. Gift Shop Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan	<b>6</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Beginning Hebrew 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. Synagogue Hebrew	<b>7</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1:30 P.M. First Year Of Life 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. PEP for Parents 8 P.M. Young Couples League Board Meeting	<b>8</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Advanced Hebrew 3 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3:30 - 6:30 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. Jewish Mysticism	<b>9</b> 7:30 A.M. Morning Minyan 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 11 A.M. Intermediate Hebrew II 11 A.M. Celebrations 1 P.M. Intermediate Hebrew I 2 P.M. Retirees Club 2:30 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. P. A. Board	<b>10</b> 6:15 P.M. Friday Night Service 8:30 P.M. P.A.S. Singles Own Service followed by Oneg Shabbat Light Candles 5:05 P.M.	<b>11</b> 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service 5 P.M. Mishneh Torah study followed by Service
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<b>19</b> 9:30 A.M. - 12 Noon Library Open 9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. Gift Shop Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan	<b>20</b> PRESIDENTS' WEEKEND OBSERVED Building Closed 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan	<b>21</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1:30 P.M. First Year Of Life 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. P.A.S. Singles Open Meeting Sidney Offit speaker	<b>22</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Advanced Hebrew 3 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3:30 - 6:30 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 7:30 P.M. Club 87 Coffee House 8 P.M. Jewish Mysticism	<b>23</b> 7:30 A.M. Morning Minyan 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 11 A.M. Intermediate Hebrew II 11 A.M. Celebrations 1 P.M. Intermediate Hebrew I 2 P.M. Retirees Club 2:30 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan	<b>24</b> 8:30 P.M. Friday Night Service "Ask The Rabbi" Oneg Shabbat Light Candles 5:21 P.M.	<b>25</b> 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah Geoffrey Postel 5 P.M. Mishneh Torah study followed by Service
<b>26</b> 9:30 A.M. - 12 Noon Library Open 9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. Gift Shop Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan	<b>27</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Beginning Hebrew 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. Synagogue Hebrew 8 P.M. Women's Evening Group Open Meeting Peace Now v. Likud Debate	<b>28</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1:30 P.M. First Year Of Life 3 - 6 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. PEP for Parents	<b>29</b> 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. Gift Shop Open 1 P.M. Advanced Hebrew 3 P.M. Mothers and Their One Year Olds 3:30 - 6:30 P.M. Library Open 5:45 P.M. Daily Minyan 8 P.M. Jewish Mysticism	<b>Hear Ye! Hear Ye!</b> <b>Jewish Medieval            Feast and Festival</b> <b>Saturday night            March 3, 1984</b>		



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